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Democratic Ticket

FOR THE LEGISLATURE:

DR. E. G. CLARK,
of the first district.

T. ROMIE STRONG,
of the fifth district.

FOR SHERIFF:

THOMAS S. DODD,
of the fourth district.

FOR COUNTY SURVEYOR:

MILTON MELVIN,
of the third district.

"TRAMPS are reported to be numerous in Kent county, drawn thither by the ripening of the peaches. This is undoubtedly the tramp's way of paying a compliment to that county for the excellence of its fruit."—*Centreville Observer.*

Very gracefully put.

THE FIFTY-THIRD CONGRESS of the United States was opened at noon on Monday in extraordinary session. Hon. Chas. F. Crisp, of Georgia, was elected speaker. The Republicans placed Hon. Thomas B. Reed in nomination for the speakership, while Hon. Jere Simpson was named by the Populists.

"It is reliably stated that the recent Democratic primary in the Kennedyville district, Queen Anne's county, was run strictly upon the principle of the most exacting moral standard. By mutual consent whiskey, money and political juggling were not allowed, and the agreement was carried out."—*Salisbury Advertiser.*

We would state for the benefit of the *Advertiser*, that Kennedyville is in Kent. No other county in the State, we dare say, can boast of a primary election, which, in its conduct, so closely bordered upon the Sunday school convention plan.

LEGISLATIVE enactment and Attorney-General Poe's opinion to the contrary notwithstanding, the Baltimore county Democracy feel that they are not altogether on safe ground in respect to the extension of the terms of the county commissioners, and many prominent leaders declare that the safest method to pursue, is, not to rely too implicitly upon the law, but if the Republicans nominate a commissioners ticket, the Democratic convention, which did not adjourn *sine die*, should be reconvened and a commissioners ticket promptly nominated. Congressman Talbot is favorable to this plan.

A CENTREVILLE CORRESPONDENT to a Baltimore daily, states that "Lemuel Dunbracco, the present incumbent of the county clerkship, who is serving out the unexpired term of his predecessor, was a candidate for the nomination. He has filled the duties of the office with marked ability, and will be retained by Mr. Cecil as chief deputy." The retention of Mr. Dunbracco would be a cause for sincere congratulation not only to Mr. Dunbracco, but to Mr. Cecil and the citizens of Queen Anne's county as well. It would be impossible to get a more efficient officer.

"SUPERINTENDENT of the Western Union Telegraph Company, W. B. Gill, of Philadelphia, has authorized the announcement that the Western Union Telegraph Co. has considered the petition of the people of Snow Hill for the establishment of a telegraph office in the centre of the town, and have granted their petition. They will allow twenty-five per cent. of the receipts to cover the expense of operating the same. With the petition sent on to the company was a clipping from the *Messenger* setting forth the need of another office here, which no doubt had weight with the company in making its decision. Another victory for progress. What next?"—*Snow Hill Messenger.*

If Snow Hill has been in a more deplorable position in this reg ard than Chestertown, we can scarce imagine it. Now let us see if unity of action and a determined movement will not secure to Chestertown this long-needed improvement. A petition will be found at the drug store of Colin F. Stam which it is desired that every citizen of the town should sign. The petition will be forwarded to Superintendant Gill, and will ask that Chestertown have a telegraph office located in or near the centre of the town. The business of the office would unquestionably be increased by the location of the office at a central portion of the town, and the convenience would be very great.

MR. SPENCER C. JONES proposes to adopt Governor Frank Brown's educational campaign methods, and two years in advance has announced himself for the governorship. The friends of Senator John Walter Smith, however, somewhat anticipated the situation, and had that gentleman in the field two years ago. The question is, which of the gentlemen named will succeed to the greatest extent in getting "the people to cultivate a liking for them." Jones and Smith form a strong hand to draw to. The novelty of the names should be strengthening features. Maryland's senior Senator in his silent way is claimed to favor the State Treasurer. The Baltimore *News* says:

"Mr. Rasin, it is well understood, is committed to James Hodges, the Baltimore merchant and ex-Mayor, who is a native of Kent county, which Mr. Rasin hails from. While Jones is popular in the county, Hodges has many friends in the city, and if ever there comes a split between Gorman and Rasin in the future, it will more than likely be over the gubernatorial convention."

THERE HAS BEEN AN EFFORT displayed to make political capitol out of the result of the Queen Anne's county convention, in which the Hon. John B. Brown's friends were defeated. Of course, this political capital was for use in Washington, particularly, because of the probability of Brown's appointment as collector of the Port of Baltimore. The facts of the case are simply that Brown was not an issue either in the convention or the primaries. It was simply a contest of the small politicians for county supremacy, and the result was the outcome of a combination made in the convention by ex-Comptroller Keating's friends with some of Mr. Brown's staunchest adherents before and since the convention. There were three candidates for county clerk, the best office in the county. All of them were Brown men, viz.: Messrs. Godwin, Cecil and ex-Senator Turpin. Owing to Mr. Cecil's business associations many of the prominent men of the county wanted to see him nominated, and to secure that nomination he simply took his five district delegates, all Brown men, then and now, over to Keating and secured thereby the votes of that faction. Mr. Cecil is a Brown man first, last and all the time, and what little opposition is manifested in the county against Brown is the result of his fight for Cleveland in the State convention and prior to it. A well-known Queen Anne's county man said yesterday: "John Brown can secure the indorsement of the county whenever he chooses to ask for it, and that almost without a fight, too."—*Baltimore News.*

A GROSS INJUSTICE.

After the dull din of labor and travel have been quietly lulled to repose, and the busy day has reached its close and the veil of night spreads its quietude round home and fireside, there is a sacred stillness that seems to reign in the ascendency about the deserted thoroughfares of every country town. The day was given to man for labor and toil, but in God's design the night was blessed for rest. The world has its bright spots, its favored localities, its busy, stirring, noisy quarters, but there is a time, a much needed time, when all of these are marked by distinctive quietude. The mariner longs for the quiet calm of the water after the stormy struggles of the deep. After the fierce strife of battle, the soldier's repose is sweetest. The merchant leaves the surging tide of business warfare, and within the shadow of the neighboring forest seeks the night's retirement. So does nature in its varied conditions find solace in the balm of night. But equally blessed with these, are the inhabitants of every country town and village, business at home during the day and the fresh vigor of country atmosphere at our very door-steps. But shall we stop here in praise of our favored surroundings, we would not save to express a feeling of ingratitude for an injustice that our kindly neighbors constantly impose upon us to bear. To bring words to a more limited meaning, it pains us to say that the sacredness and quietude of our night's repose is robbed of its solace. We cannot understand why it is that peaceful and domestic neighborhoods should be pested with canine pets that howl out in tremendous tones their miserable existence. If people keep dogs for protection in dangerous localities, its only just. But if in country towns in quiet and undisturbed districts, dogs are kept for pets, for pleasure, in all charity they are most cordially petitioned that at night time they shall be under lock and key within the closed quarters of their respective masters' homes. 'Tis a just request. It is most harsh neighborly injustice that the weak, the nervous, the invalid, to say nothing of the sick and the worried, troubled mind that pleads at night with physical nature for the blessings of sacred repose, should be robbed, night after night, of what nature demands most. It is unjust. It is unneighborly, that our fellow-brethren should suffer so much constantly at our hands, when a simple rope would remove so many grevious results and violations of charity against our neighbors' feelings. It is a long suppressed appeal of wounded nature, that we ask a consideration in this regard. We ask that our neighbors see that their pets are safely closed within the quarters of their respective domiciles during the night and early morning. We ask no denial of neighborly rights, but we make appeal, in charity, to a gross injustice that disturbs, so constantly, night after night, the rights of every inhabitant, especially of a country town, at the sacrifice of much-needed rest.

RESIDENT.

THE WORTON RACES.

Larrimore the Winner of the Cycle Prize—Smuggler and Daisy B. Win in Their Respective Classes.

The second of the series of interesting races given on the Worton track by Messrs. Pennington and Bartlett, occurred on Friday afternoon. Despite the threatening character of the weather, the attendance was fairly large, and the entertainment given by the hustling trainers was universally declared to be one of the best given on the track since that period of its history when the old fair ground was enjoying the sunshine of its greatest popularity.

The slight showers had put the track in excellent condition, and when the bell tapped the trotters to position, it became evident that rare sport was in store for the occasion.

The judges were Messrs. John Brice, whose eye is ever quick to detect the merits of a good goer, Bedford Roe, a lover and breeder of good horses, and Robert Wright, who has owned and driven as many first-class horses possibly, as any layman in the county. The timers were Dr. G. Allen Jarman, the owner of some of the finest bred horses in the country, and among them that beautiful youngster, Alcantell, who is now being developed for speed, and Robert H. Wright.

The race for stallions that have made a season in Kent, with record above 2 40 was the first event. The contest was interesting, the second heat particularily being a beautiful exhibition. The fight was between Dr. T. H. Coopers' Smuggler, driven by A. J. Hynson, and William Hendrix' Bashaw, driven by his owner. The little black settled down to work but was unable to shake the company of his Queen Anne's friend. An old horseman in speaking of the race since, said that "Hynson drove the prettiest race of his life, and Smuggler trotted a beautiful heat." Indeed, he continued, "Hynson did fine work." Mr. DeCorse was unable to get his horse into proper condition and his work was not up to his usual standard. The 3.15 race was a good trot, Alexander Bartlett's Daisy B. won in two straight heats, but William DeFord's Frank made things intensely interesting for the winner. Mr. DeFord has one of the finest goers in upper Queen Anne's. The entries and their work were:

STALLION RACE.

Dr. T. H. Cooper's Smuggler	3 1 2
Wm Hendrick's Bashaw	1 2 1
Bert DeCorse's Bay Bashaw	2 3 3

Time 2.35, 2.48, 2.50.

3.15 CLASS.

Alexander Bartlett's Daisy B.	1 1
William Deford's Frank	2 2
James McKee's Duke	3 3

Time, 3.00, 2.35.

Mr. McKee's horse is a good one but was unable on Friday to force his way to the front.

The event of the day to many was the bicycle race of one mile. The contestants in this race consisted of four of the finest wheelmen of the county, and the result shows that each participant found in his competitor a foeman worthy of his brawn.

Larrimore won in the drawing for place, and took the pole. A standing start was given and Messrs. Larrimore, the fifth district champion, Lucas, Westcott and Thomas started off in positions as named. The contest was a beautiful one, the men remaining bunched, but Larrimore held his position in spite of the splendid dash of Lucas on the last half of the first heat. The feature of the race was the magnificent spurt of Westcott in the last half. Westcott however, was unable to keep up his phenomenal burst of speed, and though only a half wheel behind his successful competitor, dropped the race. The race is pronounced to have been one of the most beautiful contests ever witnessed in the county. The men came in the following respective positions; Larrimore, Lucas, Westcott and Thomas.

Public School Changes.

Miss Josephine Harris has been appointed to the Chesterville school in place of Miss Wallis, resigned.

Miss Linda Lusby, has been appointed to the lower school in Quaker Neck in place of Miss Bertha Miller.

Miss Lizzie Fowler to Turney's Creek school in place of Miss VanDyke resigned.

The pupils of the Normal school next term will be Miss Irene Gooding, Miss Emma N. Haddaway and Miss Mary Roe, Misses Sarah Nickerson, Mary Anthony and Jessie Cooper.

Prof. L. J. Smyth has accepted the professorship in Kennedyville school, vice Miss Harris, resigned.

Miss Carrie Meredith has been made one of the assistant teachers in Galena school, vice Miss Johnson, who goes to Swan Creek school.

Miss Bertha Miller has been appointed teacher of Hibernia school, vice Miss Wilson, resigned.

$100 Reward, $100.

The reader of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally acting directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

Address, F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

Sold by Druggists, 75c.

SNOW HILL IN ASHES.

The Business Part of the Town Destroyed by Fire.

COURTHOUSE & JAIL IN RUINS.

Seventy-Six Buildings Burned—Three Hotels, One Church, Three Newspaper Offices and Two Banks Swept Away, Together with Many Stores and Dwellings—Total Loss $300,000 and Only $70,000 Insurance.

The most destructive fire within the history of Snow Hill, broke out in the store of G. Marion Dryden, located in the business centre of the town, and in a solid block of frame buildings, at 10 o'clock on Monday night. The town has no fire department, and only a bucket brigade was available to fight the flames. After sweeping away a number of the finest business places in the town, the court house and a large quantity of goods which had been placed in the yard and the building were consumed. The office of the *Democratic Messenger* newspaper, was an early victim to the flames.

Around on the north side of the square the Washington Hotel, owned by Levi A. Parnell, was on fire. In less than one hour from the time the alarm of fire was made the whole square between Pearc and Washington streets and Green and Market streets, was in a solid blaze and the fire was making rapid headway northward from its starting point toward the Pocomoke river and the saw and planing mills of Smith, Moore & Co. and John James Collins, located along the bank of the river.

The mills were saved but the fire swept on to the southeast.

Wilmington and Salisbury sent fire engines to the aid of the stricken town. Only three stores are left in the town. Seventy-six houses were burned in all, including three hotels, two banks, the Methodist Protestant Church and the courthouse and jail. The total loss is estimated at $300,000, and the insurance amounts only to about $70,000, which includes insurance of $10,000 on courthouse and jail. The fire swept away four blocks of houses and stores, coving about six acres of ground. Happily, no lives were lost and no person was seriously hurt.

The records in the court house were saved, but the court library was destroyed. The handsome residence as also the large stock of hardware of Walter W. Hurlock, formerly of Kent county, were swept from existence. The population of Snow Hill by the census of 1890 was given as 1483, but is now considerably greater.

PEACH NOTES.

The peach season was formally opened in Kent on Monday. Independent of quite a number of packages of fruit carried out of Chester river by the Emma and B. S. Ford in the morning, the steamer Corsica carried out over one thousand packages in the evening. Capt. Thompson's line carried out slightly over one thousand packages of excellent fruit, and the Gaw of the Ericsson line left Chestertown at 12 o'clock having on board six hundred packages. The large tug Canton, with schooner in tow, running peaches for Mr. John A. Groves, also carried out a large number of packages.

The Baltimore and Philadelphia Steamboat Company, commencing with yesterday, have put on daily boats for passengers and fruit from Chester river to Philadelphia.

The Chester River Steamboat Company, both in steamers and schedule, are offering unsurpassed facilities to peach shippers.

The Thompson Line, with their large sea-going tug, fine schooners and accomodating schedule, are offering facilities to peach shippers never before surpassed by the line.

A Queen Anne's peach grower carried a load of peaches to Price's station on Monday for sale. The cargo, however, was peaches on top with *apples* in the bottom. This beats Kent. Evidently the Queen Anne's apple crop is greater than its stock of peaches.

The peach buyers located at Chestertown are: A. Griffith, of Springfield, Mass.; J. W. Cox, of Sharp, Cox & Seaman, of Philadelphia, will buy at both Chestertown and Nicholson's, and Chas. Woodnut, of Providence, R. I., who is buying at Kennedyville and at other points. The shippers are: W. H. Lambert, Jr., who is shipping to Boston, Philadelphia and other points, and Mr. Greenlet, of Boston.

Quotations from Baltimore yesterday were 75cts. and $1.25 per basket as to quality. Both Boston and Philadelphia were down in prices.

The canning factory of Mr. John Lamotte, opened at Chestertown on Wednesday of last week. Mr. Lamotte is now running on corn and tomatoes. He has made arrangements with some of the Worton tomato growers to use their stock, Mr. Robinson, who had contracted for the crop having been prevented from opening his cannery because of extreme illness.

Capt. Joseph Downey opened his cannery in Chestertown on Tuesday. He will open his Rock Hall cannery next week.

The shipments of peaches by the Corsica, the Thompson Line and the Philadelphia boat yesterday were but slightly heavier than those of Monday.

The Sassafras carried over 500 packages of peaches from Buck Neck on Monday, and from all points about 1000.

Social Pleasures.

Miss Bertha Hynson entertained a number of friends at her home on Queen street, on Friday evening last. Delightful music was an enjoyable feature of the evening's pleasures.

A number of young men of Chestertown gave a pleasant dance at Stam's Hall on Friday evening, in honor of their lady friends and their guests. The evening was pleasant and beautiful, and a harpist from Baltimore dispensed excellent dance music and the affair was in every way a success.

A number of young ladies and gentlemen of Chestertown enjoyed a straw-ride to Tolchester on Wednesday evening of last week. Those who went: Misses Maggie Anderson, Hattie Bacchus, Lottie Russell, Marian Lusby, Lillie Willis, Annie Estes, Annie Russell, Clara Usilton, Clare Vannort, Daisy Usilton, Mamie Taylor, Fannie Baker, Lilly Arthur, Messrs. Edw. Lambert, Elwood Baker, T. D. Bowers, W. B. Usilton, Jr., J. W. Chapman, Jr., Wm. Howard, F. G. Usilton, W. U. Lusby, D. B. Ford.

A most enjoyable straw-ride was participated in by a party of young people from Still Pond and vicinity, last week. Four horses drew the merry party. Singing mingled with the chimes of numerous straps of bells brought many residents of Kennedyville and other points out to view our party. The participants were: Misses Lillian Busic, Myra Crewe, Katie Howard, Josephine Jones, Daisy Moffett and friend, Messrs. Sam Roseberry, Ben Kruseu, Walter and Rob Hill, Edgar and Will Penning, Hunter Davis and Roy Roseberry one of them.

Quite a number of pic nicers left Chestertown for Cliff City yesterday, by steamer Emma Ford. A vast store of edibles such as chicken, fruits, ice cream, etc. were carried, and the dinner, lunches and supper were splendid spreads of all that was tempting and palitable. Both young and old enjoyed the freedom from care beneath the shade in the beautiful grove, and returned last night on the steamer delighted with the days outing. Those who went were Mr. and Mrs. Chas. S. Smith, Mrs. Albaugh, Mrs. John S. Vandegrift and Mrs. Vandegrift, Miss Smith, the Misses Effie and Hattie Ross, Miss Katie Green, Miss Katie Smith, Mrs. Amos Kelley and family, Miss Fannie Smith and Mr. Frank Smith. Mr. Harry Hodgkins, the lightning eradicator of the Western Union Telegraph Company, resigned his position for the day to Mr. Charles Pippin, and assisted Mr. McIntire in Mr. Smith's store.

THE NACAREMA HOTEL, a World's Fair enterprise, has had a receiver appointed. A number of Kent countians had written to the hotel for rates. Lack of patronage drove the enterprise to the wall.

A TALBOT COUNTY FARMER this year raised fifty-three bushels of wheat to the acre from seed sent him by the Agricultural Department, by request of Senator Gibson. The farmer is a staunch Gibson Democrat, and has named the wheat in honor of his senatorial friend, and calls it the Gibson wheat.

New Advertisements.

The annual picnic of St. Denis' Church, Galena, is advertised in this issue. The annual picnics are always the source of great pleasure to all who attend and are looked forward to by many as a rare treat.

A change of schedule of the Sassafras River Steamboat Co., will be found in this issue. Read it and see what accommodations are offered by the change.

Mr. Joseph Guest has a change of advertisement in this issue, in which he is offering farm implements at cost. Read his advertisement, as it may prove of vast interest to you.

The fertilizer advertisement of Messrs. Beck & Walker will be found in our columns in this issue. These gentlemen are alive to the interests of their patrons, and give you a few points in their advertisement worth considering.

The firm of Moody & Perkins has changed hands and the firm is now Moody & Lusby. Both of these gentlemen are well known to our readers, Mr. Moody having been in the business for some years, and Mr. Lusby having been connected with the Chestertown creamery for several years. We hope for the new firm success, and recommend them to our readers.

Half Rate Excursions to the World's Fair.

The Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Co. will run a series of special excursions to the World's Fair for which excursion tickets to Chicago will be sold at rate of one fare for the round trip from Baltimore and all stations west of there as far as the Ohio River. The dates selected are Aug. 1st, 8th and 17th. The special trains will consist of first-class day coaches, equipped with lavatories and other toilet conveniences, and an experienced Tourist Agent and a train porter will accompany each train, to look after the comfort of passengers. Stops for meals will be made at meal stations en route. The tickets will be valid for the outward journey on the special trains only, excepting that from way points they will be honored on local trains to the nearest station at which the special trains are scheduled to stop. They will be valid for return journey in day coaches on all trains leaving Chicago within ten days, including date of sale.

Train will leave Baltimore at 9 30 A. M. and Washington at 10.35 A. M. Arrive Chicago next day at 1.15 P. M. Round trip rate, $17. Remember the dates: August 1st, 8th and 17th.

School Notice.

THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS of the county will open on MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 4.

Pupils expecting to enter the first grade in schools where the average attendance is more than fifteen, are only permitted to do so during the first ten school days in September or February.

a10-3t. [N] E. F. PERKINS, Sec.

Annual Picnic.

ST. DENNIS' CHURCH, GALENA,

will hold its annual picnic

IN McCAULEY'S WOODS,

—ON—

Thursday, August 17th, 1893.

A pleasant time may be expected by all who attend.

KINDERGARTEN SCHOOL.

Miss Baker and Miss Roberts' Kindergarten and School will open September 18, 1893. Latin, French and Physical Culture.

a3-6t.

WANTED.

A middle aged white woman to nurse an infant. Must come well recommended. Will pay to a good woman $12 per month.

MRS. HOPE H. BARROLL,
Chestertown, Md.

a3-3t.

SCHOLARSHIP

—IN THE—

MARYLAND AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE.

KENT COUNTY is entitled to a Scholarship in the Maryland Agricultural College, subject to an annual charge of $89. Apply to the secretary of the School Commissioners until Aug. 15.

j29-td. [N] E. F. PERKINS, Sec.

Notice to Creditors.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' court of Kent county, letters of administration upon the personal estate of

WM. F. WROTH,

late of Kent county, Md., deceased.

All persons having claims against said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the undersigned on or before the 10th day of January 1894, otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefits of said estate. Given under my hand this 1st day of Aug., 1893.

FLORENCE WROTH,
Administratrix.

a3-4t.

Notice to Creditors.

W. B. Copper,
vs.
Wm. Groome Ringgold and others.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County, in Equity. No. 937.

THE creditors of Josias Ringgold, late of Kent county, deceased, are hereby notified to file their claims, with the vouchers thereof, in the office of the clerk of the circuit court for Kent county within four months from the 3d day of August, 1893.

JAMES A. PEARCE,
a3-4t. TRUSTEE.

Notice to Creditors.

Geo. J. Appold,
vs.
W. P. Ireland and others.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County, in Equity. No. 925.

THE creditors of John W. Ireland, late of Kent county, deceased, are hereby notified to file their claims, with the vouchers thereof, in the office of the clerk of the circuit court for Kent county within four months from the 3d day of August, 1893.

JAMES A. PEARCE,
a3-4t. TRUSTEE.

LADIES!

Do you know that one Dozen Chickens or a Good Ham will buy nearly enough WALL PAPER from us to cover your whole house? This will help you considerably when money is "tight." We take *Poultry, Eggs, Hams, shoulders and Side Meat* in exchange for all the goods we sell.

John Bartley,
June 13, 1893. CHESTERTOWN, MD.

NOTICE.

In consequence of the pollution of the springs, combined with the destruction of signboards and young trees upon my premises, and malicious destruction of property, last year, this notice is to warn all persons against trespassing upon my shore or premises with dog, gun or otherwise, under penalty of the law. Ten dollars reward will be paid for information leading to the conviction of any trespasser.

Signed, D. GENESE,
j1-4m. Betterton, Kent Co., Md.

NOTICE.

The board of County Commissioners for Kent county, give notice that no articles or supplies of any kind for Kent county, purchased by any county officer, supervisor or agent will be recognized by the board unless such purchase or purchases have been made upon the written order of the County Commissioner of the district in which the party purchasing such supplies or goods may reside.

T. J. SHALLCROSS, Pres
R. C. MORGAN,
G. W. RODENHISER,
JOHN A. GROVES,
HORACE A. WILLSON,
Commissioners.

Test—T. Waters Russell, clerk

County Commissioners' Notice.

THE traveling public is hereby notified, that the Bridge across the mill dam at Sassafras is in an unsafe condition, and the County Commissioners of Cecil and Kent counties contemplate putting a new bridge over said dam at an early date, and that all persons traveling over the old bridge after this date, do so at their own *risk*.

T. J. SHALLCROSS, Pres;
R. C. MORGAN,
G. W. RODENHISER,
J. A. GROVES,
H. A. WILLSON,
Commissioners.

ATTEST: T. W. RUSSELL, CLERK.

Proposals TO BUILD AN ARCH

At Sassafras,

BETWEEN KENT AND CECIL COUNTIES, MARYLAND.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at Chestertown, Md., on TUESDAY, AUGUST 15, 1893, 2 o clock P. M., to build an ARCH BRIDGE over the STREAM at SASSAFRAS. Specifications for work to be done and materials to be furnished in the building of abutments and arch over the mill Stream near Kennedy's Mill, on the line between Kent and Cecil counties, Maryland. The work embraced in these specifications includes two abutments, two wing walls for each abutment, and an arch resting on the abutments. The wing walls will have two buttresses to each wall, together with foundations on which all the walls will rest. The foundations will be made by driving three rows of piles under each abutment and wing walls, and two rows under each of the buttresses. Piles to be pine, gum or oak, not less than twelve inches across the butt and driven into good, firm ground not less than six feet below where they will be cut off for capping. The piles must be driven very hard, so as to be secure from settling or being washed out. The piles will be two feet between centres. The outside rows under the abutments will be four feet over all; the wing wall, three feet over all, and the buttresses two feet over all. All piling to be cut off level and true not less than eighteen feet below the present old bridge or road bed. The piling to be capped with four by twelve timber, running lengthwise the walls, and securely bolted with three-quarter bolts. The capping to be covered with two-inch boards spiked hard to caps on which the walls are to be laid.

The two abutment walls will be twenty-two feet long, five feet high, four feet thick at bottom, two feet six inches at top, and both sides battered equal. The end of abutments to have the same batter as wing walls. The foundation for abutment walls to be eighteen feet between walls. The wing walls will be three feet thick at bottom, two feet at top, twenty-one feet high, twenty feet long from face of abutment and carried up plumb on inside. The buttresses will be 5 feet, by two, by sixteen feet high, with a regular batter to nothing at top, carried up with the walls and all tied in together. All of the stone-work to be of the best Port Deposit granite; two men building stone of McClenahan & Bro.'s granite quarry, with sufficient rubble to fill up with. Stone work will be uncursed rubble work, with best Anchor Brand Rosendale cement mortar. All stones to be laid in full beds of cement mortar made of one part cement, and two parts of good, clean, sharp sand.

The arch will be twenty feet span, and ten feet high in the clear; to be laid with four rings of good strong, hard, burned bricks laid in cement mortar, one part cement and two parts good, clean, sharps and. Bricks to be rubbed and hammered down hard and firm. The wing wall will be continued over the arch with stone covered with 6-inch caping projecting two inches on each side. The stone work above and next the road will be pointed up neatly. All other walls will be dashed up. All of the above specified work must be done according to the entire satisfaction of the commissioners of Kent and Cecil counties or their agents. The Contractor to have the use of the materials in old bridge for scaffolding, but no part of it to be used in the foundations.

All the above work to be done in a neat, substantial and workmanlike manner. The Contractor to furnish all the material for the completion of all work named in plans and specifications, notwithstanding any omission in the drawing and specifications. When work is finished the Contractor will remove all obstructions under arch, including piling of old bridge. The Contractor shall commence his work within fifteen days, or as soon as the weather will permit, and shall have sai work fully completed on or before the fifteenth day of October, 1893. Payment to be made on or before January 1st. 1894.

The Contractor shall furnish all pumping, transporting, hoisting and other apparatus or machinery, all tools, all the materails, and whatever else may be needed and do all the work of whatever nature necessary to complete the work named in these specifications, and to protect the work during its construction for the price named in the contract.

THOMAS J. SHALLCROSS,
President Board of Kent Co. Com'rs.

A. ANDERSON,
President Board of Cecil Co. Com'rs.

ORDER NISI.

William B. Copper,
vs.
Emily W. Ringgold, et al.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County in Equity.

ORDERED this 9th day of August, 1893, that the sale made and reported by James A. Pearce, trustee, for the sale of the real estate of Josias Ringgold, deceased, be ratified and confirmed unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 9th day of October next, provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Kent county, once in each of three successive weeks before the 9th day of September next. The report states the amount of sales to be $7,445.88.

SAMUEL G. FISHER, Clerk.

True Copy,—Test:
SAMUEL G. FISHER, Clerk.

Aug 10, 1893—4t.

ORDER NISI.

George J. Appold,
vs.
William P. Ireland, et al.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County, in Equity.

ORDERED, this 9th day of August, 1893, that the sale made and reported by James A. Pearce, trustee, for the sale of the real estate of John W. Ireland, deceased, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 9th day of October next, provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Kent county, once in each of three successive weeks before the 9th day of September next. The report states the amount of sale to be $4,600.00.

SAMUEL G. FISHER, Clerk.

True Copy—Test:
SAMUEL G. FISHER, Clerk.

Aug. 10, 1893—4t.

ORDER NISI.

Wm. H. Baker and wife,
VERSUS
Samuel B. Ginn, et al.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County, in Equity.

ORDERED, this 31st day of July, 1893, that the sale of the real estate, mentioned in these proceedings, made and reported by Hope H. Barroll, Trustee, by virtue of a decree of this court, passed in the above entitled cause on the 24th day of June, 1893, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 30th day of September next; provided, a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Kent county, once in each of three successive weeks before the 31st day of August next.

The report states the amount of sales to be $20,564.61.

SAMUEL G. FISHER, Clerk.

True copy—Test:
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WE are now manufacturing one of the Finest Peach Baskets on the market,

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ROBERT H. WRIGHT,
m9-tf. Chestertown.

NOTICE TO

Parents, Guardians AND OTHERS.

WASHINGTON COLLEGE.

NOTICE has been received by the Orphans' Court that Kent county is entitled to

A BENEFICIARY

in Washington College, by virtue of the resignation of Mr. Hope H. Copper, of Kent county, Md.

It is required that the applicant be at least fifteen years of age; that he shall be able to read, write and spell well, and shall have completed English Grammar, the History of Maryland and of the United States, Geography and Arithmetic, so as to devote himself to the collegiate course proper.

In compliance with the law, the Orphans' Court of Kent county hereby give notice to Parents, Guardians and others, who are disposed to avail themselves of this notice, that—

ON THURSDAY, AUG. 24, 1893.

AT TEN AND A HALF O'CLOCK, A. M.,

applicants will be received by this Court.

The applicants for the position must appear in person for examination by the court. The condition of this scholarship requires the successful applicant shall give bond to the Orphan's Court in the penalty of $500.00 to teach for two years in the public schools of the State if required so to do by the school commissioners of Kent county.

All applications to be filed with the Register of Wills.

JAMES T. DIXON,
Aug. 3, 1893—td. Register of Wills.

Sheriff's Sale.

BY VIRTUE of a writ of Fieri Facias, issued out of the Circuit Court for Kent county, Md., and to me directed, at the suit of Andrew Woodall, against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of Jeremiah N. Moffett, I have seized and taken in execution all the right, title, interest, claim and estate at law and in equity of the said Jeremiah N. Moffett, in and to

ALL THAT TRACT OF LAND

in the said county, on the east side of the public road leading from Chesterville to Millington, adjoining the lands of Mrs. Wm. Welch, W. W. Baldwin, et al, called "Chester Grove," "Palmer's Hazard," containing 123 ACRES OF LAND, more or less, which was devised to Jeremiah N. Moffett by his father, Richard Moffett, by will dated July, 1866. Also,

12 Head Horses & Colts,

10 HEAD COWS AND HEIFERS,

1 Top Buggy, 1 Binder, 1 Farm Wagon, 1 Peach Body and Springs, 1 Wheat Rake, 1 Drill, Plows, Horrows, Cultivators, Harness, etc., etc.

And I hereby give notice, that on

SATURDAY, August 12, 1893,

between the hours of 2 and 4 o'clock P. M., in front of the Court House Door in Chestertown, I will offer for sale the said property so seized and taken in execution to the highest bidder for cash.

je22-ts. EDWARD J. PLUMMER, SHERIFF.

TWILLEY'S LINIMENT,

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MANUFACTURED BY

GEO. B. TWILLEY, Chestertown, Md.

References for the same.

Copy of Recommendation:

BALTIMORE, Sept. 1, 1892.

MR. GEO. B. TWILLEY—*Dear Sir:*—Enclosed please find an acknowledgment of your Liniment from a gentleman who suffered with neuralgia. I must also state that I used the same and find it great. Yours respectfully,

S. C. ROSENBERG,
123 N. Eutaw St., Baltimore, Md.

NEW YORK, Aug. 12, 1892.

MR. S. C. ROSENBERG, 123 N. Eutaw St., Baltimore, Md.—*Dear Sir:* The Twilley's Liniment you gave me to try for neuralgia has entirely cured me, and I have almost one-half bottle left. I thank you very much for it, and when I come to Baltimore on or about Dec. 25th, I will call on you to get the directions of Mr. Twilley, so I can get a new supply of Liniment, as I would not be without it on my travels.

Yours truly, JOHN CURTIS.

OTHER REFERENCES.—Messrs. E. N. Roland, M. A. Tonison, A. I. Dugan, Wm. Kirby; E. B. Russell, B. F. Fleming, Chestertown; Wm. Archibald, Kennedyville; John Noland, Crumpton; Rev. Wm. K. Galloway, Seaford, Del; Mrs. Laura V. Snyder, 811 N. Carey St., Baltimore, Md.; Mrs. Kate Maslin, Rock Hall, Md.; Prof. J. B. Hazell, Sudlerville, Md.

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where we will open our saloon on the 11th instant. Thanking our friends for their patronage last year, we come again soliciting the same.

We will deliver Ice Cream and Water Ice at short notice, well-packed, at the Railroad Depot and Steamboat Wharf, and to our patrons within the town limits, at the following prices:

Five Gallons or over.....90c. per gallon
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We will make our own cream this year, and we have also bought new Tubs and Cans for packing our Cream, and we will furnish it in large or small quantities for Picnics and Festivals. Come, give us a call.

Yours, etc.,

J. H. BRYAN,
HUDGINS' HOUSE,

m11-3m. Cross Street, Chestertown, Md.